

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

OCT 25 2004

fee  
only

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No. : 10/643,332 : Confirmation No. 9440  
Applicant : Nick Youker, et al.  
Filed : August 19, 2003  
TC/A.U. : 3989  
Examiner : Dinh, Tuan T. : October 25, 2004  
Our Docket No. : 20030187.ORI  
Customer No. : 23595

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

I CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING SENT TO THE  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, ON OCTOBER 25, 2004,  
VIA FACSIMILE TO NO. 1-703-308-9708 (37 CFR 1.8a).

REQUEST FOR REFUND OF PUBLICATION FEE

Sir:

As set forth in the Official filing receipt for the above-entitled patent application, the projected publication date is February 24, 2005, which is after the actual issuance of the patent. Therefore, refund of the publication fee of \$300.00, paid by the undersigned on October 25, 2004, is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is authorized to refund this overpayment of the publication fee (\$300.00) to Deposit Account No. 08-1265 under the Deposit Account name of Nikolai & Mersereau, P.A.

Respectfully submitted,

NIKOLAI &amp; MERSEREAU, P.A.



Thomas J. Nikolai  
Registration No. 19,283  
900 Second Avenue South, Suite 820  
Minneapolis, MN 55402-3325  
Telephone: 612-339-7461  
Fax: 612-349-6556

-Adjustment date: 12/09/2004- TLAWRENC  
10/28/2004 BABRAHA2 00000033 10643332  
02 FC:1504 -300.00 OP